CHURCH SERVICES, &c., TO-MORROW.

CHRIST CHURCH-Communion service at 11 a. m. by Rev. Dr. Packard. No service at 11 s. r. Paul's Church—Communion service at 11 s. m., by Rev. Dr. Norton. No afternoon

GRACK CHURCH—Communion service at 11 a.

m by Rev. G. A. Gibbons. No service at night.

St. Mary's Church—Mass at 7 a. m., and Mass and sermon at 11 a. m. by Rev. Father O'Kane. Vespers at 4 p. m.
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—No service.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Service in the morning and at night, by Rev. Dr. Bullock. METH. Erts. Church—Services in the morning and at night, by Rev. Mr. Beyer. METH. EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH—Sermon in the morning by Rev. E. F. Busey, and at night, by Rev. O. C. Beall.

METH. PROT. CHURCH—Sermon in the morning and at night by Rev. T. O. Crouse.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sermon in the morning and at night, by Rev. M1. Ryland

GERMAN LUTHERAN—Presching at 11 a. m.,

by Rev. Mr. Fleckenstein. VILLAGE CHAPEL-Sermon at 11

Rev. O. C. Beall. Young Men's Christian Association. Sanday Work-Prayer Meeting in the M. E. Chur. South, at 4 p. m. Alms House services at 21 p. m. Jail services at 2 p. m. Sunday School at the corner of King and West streets and at the corner of St. Asaph and Princess streets at 22 p. m. Open-air meeting at the Tunnel, on Fairfax street, at 61 o'clock p. m. Singing meeting at the rooms of the Association, at 5 p. m. Week Work-Daily prayer meeting in the room of the Association at 5 p. m. On Friday night next, at So'clock, open-air meeting at the corner of King, Fayette and Commerce streets.

## LOCAL NEWS.

A VISIT TO OUR COUNTRY NEIGHBORS. -We had the pleasure, yesterday, of riding through the greater portion of "Cooney," and we were delighted to see that our old friends up there are enjoying a high degree of prosperity. The trees are loaded with fruit, and the weighty bunches of grapes hauging in the vineyards with which the country is covered, remind one of the old Bible picture of Caleb and Joshua returning with a specimen of those in the promised land. At Mr. Geo. Ott Wunder's we had the pleasure of tasting a great many of them, and we found them as delicious to the palate as they are pleasing to the eye.

On our return to the city, we called at the residence of our hospitable old friend, Mr. Henry W. Febrey. He opened our eyes-and our mouths -- by the production of some of the biggest cantaloupes ever seen; they were as large as moderate-sized watermelons, and as sweet as they were large. Not satisfied with regaling us with them then and there, he loaded us down with the finest specimens we ever

Altogether, we think "Cooney" a most desirable place of residence, and we really don't wonder now that "The Board of Public Works," "The Board of Health," et id omne genus, are easting loving and covetous glances in that direction. We can only advise our country neighbors to remember the story of the spider and the fly, and to co-operate with us in keeping out of the "little parlor" of the new territory. They have plentiful spoils for the rings and would soon be "improved" in Georgetown style. Old Virginia does not seem to have taxed them out of a good living as yet, though in their laudable zeal for the education of their children, they have made themselves the most heavily taxed country people in the Commonwealth.

RAILROAD RECEIPTS. -The following are the receipts by the W. C., V. M. & G. S. Railroad forthis week: Corn 2,408 bushels, wheat 6,988, rye 50, oats 1,795, potatoes 285, timothy seed 30, onions 45, corn meal 40, flour 510 bbls, ground sumae 20,160 lbs, dried fruit 34 bbls and boxes, apples 42 bbls, butter 14 firkins, eggs 14 bbls and boxes, sumac 3,000 sacks, leather 23 rolls, tallow 1 box, tobacco 35 boxes, crackers 16 bbls, bides 38 bundles, lime 300 bushels, darusons 5 bbls, fowls 23 coops, stone ware 172 pieces, tin ware 4 bbls, oil 10 bbls, calves and cows 55 head, grain drills 6, wool 4 sacks, whiskey 2 bbls, sheep skins 18 bales, quinces 4 bbls, glass ware 1 box, souff 10 boxes sewing machines 5, seneca root 5 bales, elm bark 45 bales, gensing 1 bbl, books 3 boxes, empty casks 86, vegetables 2 bbls, sundries 50 bils and boxes, bacon 229 lbs, crockery 2 crates, iron pipe 10 bundles, farniture 60 packages, fish 6 bbls, lead 80 lbs, iron 7,484 lbs, rags 3,453 lbs, tails 3 kegs, grapes 1 crate, bark 7½ cords, car wheels 14, feathers 2 sacks, spokes 3 bundles, lard 1 bbl, lumber 2,353 feet, oak lumber 16,000 feet, ash lumber 800 feet, cedar posts 28, sifting machines 1, calf skins 2, cattle and sheep 22 cars.

During the week the following were the receipts by the W. & O. R. R :- Wheat 1,814 bushels, corn 3,418, meal 132, oats 140, potatoes 13, onions 20, flour 22 bbls, fruit 57 bbls. butter 65 bbls and firkins, eggs 33 bbls and boxes, vinegar 6 bbls, calves 63 head, horses 5 head, fowls 39 coops, sumae 9,734 lbs, rags 9 bales, old iron and bones 8.900 lbs, wood 7 cars, hay I car.

FINE FRUIT. - The counties of Alexandria and Fairfax may now be ranked among the foremost in the State, in the production of finit, nor have we seen finer specimens from any part of the country. This season grapes, peaches, pears, apples, &c., in almost endless variety, and of a quality unsurpassed, are abundant, while the melons have reached the perfection of deliciousness.

We have heretofore acknowledged the receipt, from many of our kind friends, of specimens of the products of their archords, vineyards and gardens, and now we return our thanks for the peaches received this morning from Mr. B. K. Riston, of Mt. Camel, Fairfax county, exceeding in size and flavor any we have before seen this year; the pears from Mr. Sefer Blouse, taken from the dwarf trees growing in such luxurient profusion in his garden, at the upper end of King street, and a "sight to behold," so pleasing to the eye and delicious the taste; the grapes from the vineyard of Mr. G. O. Wunder, in the county, where the sucs bend beneath the great purple, luscious busches; the cantelopes-the biggest and most deheiously flavored that can be conceivedcrown under the skillful management of Mr. Henry W. Febrey, also of our county, whose peaches, pears and apples are proverbial, and many other remembrances of the same kind, from friends in the city and county-all very gratifying and fully appreciated.

NEW WAY TO COLLECT OLD DEBTS. - Constable J. Owen Kerby, of Fairfax county, while collecting taxes at Accotiok, a day or two ago, asked a man named Thomas Dainty if he was bot ready to pay his. Dainty replied that he had money enough but he wanted it for other purposes. The officer told him that would not he had waited long enough for him, and that if he did not pay he should be forced to horse he would have to take his dead body has been estimated by various officers engaged with it. The officer then went into the store as from 800 to 1000. My command numbered Ret a piece of rope to make a halter, and the in there he was approached by Dainty, officer badly wounded, four men killed and four who cursed and abused him, among other three wounded, four horses killed and four things calling him a d—d thief. Hardly, how- wounded. A careful investigation justifies the statement, that both days battles, the Indians beat him until he promised to pay every cent taxes he are the statement and the promised to pay every cent wounded. A careful investigation justified statement, that both days battles, the Indians losses will number forty warriors, while their wounded on the opposite bank of the river of taxes he owed, which he did as soon as he may increase this number. was allowed to rise.

YACHT RACE. - The yacht race from Wash-

The Relief Hook and Ladder Company held their regular monthly meeting last night, Capt. James Steuart President, in the chair, and G. A. Mushbach, acting Secretary. The Foreman was instructed to have some repairs made to the truck and to notify Mr. Green, the owner of the house, that the floor needed repairs. The resignation of A. A. Warfield as secretary, was read and received, and a vote of thanks was tendered him and ordered to be spread upon the minutes. Mr. Park Agnew was then elected secretary in place of Mr. Warfield, and after the transaction of some minor business the meeting adjourned.

McLean's Packing House, -- The first supply of oysters received this season at the packing house of Mr. Jas. McLean, on the strand. near King street, reached there this morning from Cone River, via the steamer Georgeanna, and the pile on the floor, with the, as yet, few shuckers seated around it, and the rows of bright cans on the shelves and tables, constituted by no means a disagreeable sight. The oysters were as sound as any received here in the depth of winter and sell rapidly. From this time until next May Mr. McLean will be supplied with oysters, if any can be obtained.

CANAL NEWS. - The telegrams received here vesterday stating that boats had passed the site of the late break on Wednesday night last, though they came from canal officers, are now discovered to have been incorrect. Boats, however, did pass the site of the late break, yesterday morning, and are expected to arrive here to morrow. The water on the Georgetown level was off this morning, and there was a rumor afloat here that a break had occurred in that level last night, but nothing definite could be learned about it.

POLICE HEADQUARTERS. - The following cases have been reported at Police Headquarters since yesterday: Policeman Geo. H. Lyles, who was charged with assaulting a prisoner named Alphonso Arrington, was dismissed as the charge was not sustained; a stranger, for peddling without a license, and who, though glib enough before, pretended to be deaf and dumb after his arrest, was discharged with a rerpimand; old Aunt Winny, alias Pennyroyal, colored, charged with stealing a child's armlets, was discharged with a reprimand.

THE COAL TRADE .-- The receipts of Cumberland coal at this port by canal for the week ending to-day were as follows: By the American Coal Co., 4,519 tons; by J. P. Agnew, 4,060 tons, and by the Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co., 2,096 tons. The shipments during the same period were by the American Coal Co., 4,755 tons; by J. P. Agnew, 3,936 tons, and by the Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co., 2,000 tons.

THE MARKET, this morning, was very well supplied. Fresh meats without change in prices. Vegetables were quite abundant, but sold at the rates quoted last Saturday. Green corn 10a12 cents per doz. Lima beans 12a15 cents per quart; black-eyed peas 8 cents per quart. Butter 30a35 cents per lb for fresh; eggs 25 cents per doz. Peaches 40a50 cents per peck for prime. Cantepoles all sizes and

OPEN AIR PRAYER MEETING.-The members of the Young Men's Christian Association | 155a180; choice amber 180; good to prime red resumed this meeting at the corner of King, Commerce and Fayette streets last night. There | qu'et for Southern; white Southern 72; yellow was a very large turnout of the committee and do. 72; mixed Western firm at 63 offered, 64 citizens; the exercises were of the usual stirring asked. Oats firmer; Southern 44a48; Western character, and great attention was paid to the mixed 44; do. white 46. Rye firmer at 85a93.

# TELEGRAPH.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

The Fights with the Indians. NEW YORK, Sept. 6.-The official report of Gen. Custar, of the Tongue River and Big Horn fights is published this morning. The first fight occurred on the 4th of August. The General says the superiority of our enimies in number, the long distance separating us from the main command, and the belief afterwards verified that the woods above concealed a portion of the savage forces, induced me to confine my movements at first strictly to the defensive. The Indians outnumbered our troops five to one. Every available officer and man was in the skirmish line, which was in reality our battle line. The Indians displayed unusual boldness, frequently charging up the line and firing with great deliberation and accuracy. The fight began at 11:30 a. m. and was waged without cessation until 3 o'clock. Finally a charge was ordered, when the Indians, notwithstanding their superiority in numbers, fled and were driven pell mell three miles. In their flight the Indians threw away breech loaders, saddle equipments, clothes, larriots and articles of Indian outfit. So far as the troops attacked were concerned, the Indians, to offset their own heavy losses had been able to do us no damage except wound one man and two horses; but unfortunately two non-combatants, veterinary surgeon John Hausinger, of the 7th cavalry and Mr. Baliran, of Memphis, Tenn., in endeavoring to come from the main command to join the squadron in advance, were discovered by Indians during the attack, and being unarmed, were overtaken and killed, almost within view of the battle ground. The battle of Big Horn took place on the 11th of August, when Indians appeared in strong force on the river bank opposite to where Custar's command was encamped and opened a brisk fire, bodies of savages at the same time crossing above and below the troops. The command was properly distributed to resist all attacks and when everything was in readiness for a general advance a charge was ordered and a squadron took the gallop to the tune of "Garry Owen." The Indians had evidently come out prepared to do their best and with no misgivings as to their success as mounds and high bluffs beyond the river were covered with groups of squaws, old men and children, who had collocted there to witness our distruction. In this instance the proverbial power of music to soothe the savage breast, utterly failed, for no sooper did the band strike up the cheering notes of "Garry Owen" and the squadrons advance to charge, than the Indians exhibited unmistakable signs of commotion and their resistance became more feeble, until finally satisfied of the earnestness of our attack they turned their ponies' heads and began a disorderly flight. The chase was contipued with the utmost rigor until the Indians were completely dispersed and driven a distance of nine miles from where the engagement took place, and they were forced back across the Yellowstone. The last pony killed in the fight take his horse—which was hitched to a post was shot fully eight miles from the point of atbear the store. Dainty said that if he took his tack. The number of Indians opposed to us

Texas Conservative Nominations.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 6.—On the fifth ballot yesterday, in the Democratic Convention for candidate for Governor, Richard Coke, of Waco, for sale by Capt. George Laycock of this city passed by there in the lead, but on the return of 2 m. then the lead, but on the return of 2 m. to here in the lead, but on the return at 3 p. Gentrude, Fanny Bell, Blue Wing and Echo, the first four being close together but the Echo learly a mile behind.

| Continue of the convention of

RELIEF HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY .- | unanimously amidst the throwing up of hats and the wildest excitement. Judge Coke was called to the stand, and in a short speech thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him. Col. Charles Stewart, of Houston, moved that Hon. R. B. Hubbard be declared the unanimous choice of the convention for Lieutenant-Governor. Col. Jno. Henry Brown, in a short speech, withdrew his name as a candidate and seconded the unanimous nomination of Hubbard. He was followed by other a-pirants-Col. Finlay, W. H. King and L. J. Gore. Col. Hubbard was then declared the unanimous choice of the convention. Stephen H. Darden, of Lockport, was unanimously declared the choice of the convention for Comptroller.

Fire in New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.-This morning a fire broke out in the wholesale liquor warehouse occapied by Charles J. Murphy and Reed & Co., on Bread street, damaging the building, which is owned by Alfred J. Brush & Co., \$4,000. Murphy & Co's. loss is \$25,000; insured in the Mutual, Sterling, Park and Equitable. Reed & Co. lose \$5,000; insured. The fire was caused by the ignition of one of the liquor barrels from a light which a boy had in the cellar loking for a leak in one of the barrels.

Insurance Agent Arrested.

St. Louis, Sept. 6 .- E. A. Whitcombe, formerly State Agent of the St. Louis Life Insurance Company for Indiana, was arrested last evening on a requisition from the Governor of Indiana, charged with being a defaulter in the sum of \$20,000 for policy premiums. He was lodged is jail and will probably be taken to Indianapolis to-day.

### A Murderer Identified.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6 .- A Kingston, N. Y. dispatch says a straggler has been identified by lady residing near Acra, Greene county, as Bender, the Kansas murderer. He stopped at her house for something to eat and when asked if he was Bender, hastily left for the mountains. The mountains are now being

Spanish Affairs.

LONDON, Sept. 6 .- The Hour of this morning publishes a special dispatch from Barritz stating that Marshal Serrano left there on Thursday for Madrid.

The Massachusetts Governorship. Boston, Sept. 6 .- The Journal's returns of delegates to the Republican State Convention give 299 for Washburne, 262 for Butler and 25 doubtful.

### Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, September 6, 11 a. m. For the Middle States, gentle and fresh northerly and northeasterly winds and generally clear, cool weather, with possibly occasional rain on the coast. For the South Atlantic States, partly cloudy weather, northwest to portheast winds and rain on the coast.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Stocks dull. Gold active at 13. Money 7 gold. Flour quiet and firm. Wheat dull and drooping. Corn quiet and heavy.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 6.—Va. sixes, consolidated, 513. West Va. sixes 12 bid to-day. Cotton firmer and higher; low middlings 181a19. Flour active, with an advancing tendency. Wheat firm; white choice 185a190; fair to prime do. 170a178; common to fair do. 150a165. Corn Hay unchanged. Provisions quiet.

# LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Conservatives of Fairfax county held meetings in all the townships of that county this afternoon to appoint delegates to the convention to nominate a candidate for the House of Delegates. The meeting in Mt. Vernon Township was held at Pullman's and that in Fall's Church Township, at Bailey's Cross A thievish countryman was driving around

the streets in a wagon early this morning collecting and carrying off the empty ash and slop barrels, boxes and buckets that had been left in front of the houses. He was stopped, however, and made to replace his plunder.

An attempt, it is thought, was made to burglariously enter the boarding house of Mrs. Dobie, on south Water street last night. One of the boarders was awake, however, and if there were any thieves about, it is supposed, he scared them off.

Col. Daniels passed through here this afternoon on his way to the American horticultural exhibition in Boston, carrying with him some of the most splendid specimens of pears and peaches ever raised in this whole section of country.

Madison Alley, the wickedest place in the city, has at last been depopulated. Its former denizens now live in the building known as Peyton's Grove, and in West End.

"Alexandria Lemonade" is kept for sale at Manassas, and the Gazette of that place says, "it is as good as the town it was named afterthe best little town in the United States.' Mr, John Summers has just turned out of

his shop a handsome new omnibus for Mr. Andrew Schuler. It will be attached to the Mansion House. The Independent and the Reckless clubs, of

this city, will play a match game of base ball on Tuesday.

A letter is held for want of postage in this Post Office addressed to H. Hammill, Occo-Col. Mosby and Gen. Fitz Lee passed through here to-day both on their way up the

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country.

FRESH GRAINS at PORTNER'S BREW-ERY every day. Dairymen wishing to be supplied with Grains during the winter would do well to make their contracts now.
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CHEESE .- 20 boxes FACTORY CHEESE, R. M. LAWSON.

CITY COUNCIL.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

At a called meeting of the Board of Aldermen, held Sc; tember 5th, 1873, there were present: S. H. Janney, esq., President, and Messrs. Moore, Johnson. D. M. French and Underwood. Bills of F. G. Swaine, \$30 94; Jos. Hopkins, \$156 82, for supplies for the Alms House; also a hill of J. Mirriott, \$12, as registrar 1st ward; also communications from J. F. Heishley, M. J. Fogarty and F. F. Cornett, for reduction of assessment; also a report of the Finance Com mittee on the account of the Sinking Fund; also a resolution in regard to the purchase of coal for the use of the city; also a communication from the Mayor enclosing the resignation of Police-man Wm. Mullen,—were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in. A communication from the Board of Public Works was received with a request for an appro priation to have the surveying instruments put in order and purchase such new ones as may be necessary, and on motion It was resolved that the sum of \$:00 be appro

priated from the fund applicable to the street improvements by the Board of Public Works for the purchase of instruments for the use of said Board.

A bill of J. W. Nalls, Son & Co., \$53 15, for articles furnished the Superintendent of Police, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

A resolution was received from the Common Council empowering the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to erect fire proof sheds in the Market square, which was non-concurred in, and the following adopted as an amendment, viz: Res lved, That the Sinking Fund Commissioners are hereby requested to present plans and specifications for erecting a shed or sheds in the Market square.

A resolution in regard to the ringing of bells by the A. & W. R. W., received from the Common Counci, by them referred to the Committee on Streets, which action was noncurred in, and the resolution amended by adding, "that the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Co. shall be, and are hereby, required to place a flagman on King street at the intersection of Fayette street, and also a flagman on Duke st. at the intersection of Fayette street for the protection of the citizens."

An act to prevent the obstruction of the cars of the Alexandria Passenger Railway Co; also a communication from the President of the W. & O. R. R. Co. in regard to repairing the culvert under Fairfax street, between Oronoko and Pendleton streets; also a report from the Finance Committee upon the petition of W. V. S. Wilcox for reduction of assessment; also a resolu-tion instructing the Board of Public Works to take possession of the iron rails on Henry street, and sell them for the benefit of the city, were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in.

The Board then adjourned. JNO. J. JAMIESON, Clerk. Teste:

Common Council.

At a called meeting of the Common Council, held Sept. 5th, 1873, there were present: Geo. R. Shinn, esq., President, and Messrs. Rock, Eichberg, Hopkins, Broders, McKenzie, Downham, Risheill, Portner, Hughes and Evans. Mr. Hopkins introduced a resolution authorizing the Commis ioners of the Sinking Fund to have fire proof sheds constructed in the Market square for the accommodation of the country square for the accommodation of the country
people, and for use as a fish house, and to provide for the proper drainage of the Market
square, which was adopted.

A communication from the Mayor enclosing
the resignation of W. L. Mullen, a member of
the city police force, was read and the resignation

was accepted. An application of M. J. Fogerty for abatement

of assessment on her property, on Franklin st., was referred to the Committee on Claims. An application of F. E. Corbett for abatement of assessment upon his property on north Fairfax street, was referred to the Committee on

Claims.
A bill of John Marriott, amounting to \$13, registration and election services, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

A bill of Joseph Hopkins, amounting to \$156 82, for groceries furnished the Alms House, was ordered to be paid. A bill of F. G. Swaine, amounting to \$30, for

goods furnished the Alms House, was ordered to be paid. An application of J. F. Heishley for abatement of assessment upon his property at the cor-

ner of Prince and Fairfax streets, was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Hopkins introduced a resolution, which was adopted, instructing the Committee on Public Property to purchase five months' supply of coal for the use of the Corporation, and have the

same stored in the vaults of the Market Building. Mr. McKenzie, from the Finance Committee, to whom was referred the account of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, reported that they had examined the same and found it correct, and they recommend that the \$31,600 consolidated coupon bonds be returned to the Auditor for registration, and that the same be cancelled and a certificate be furnished the Com missioners that there is that amount standing on the books of the Corporation to the credit of that fund, and the report was adopted.

Mr. McKenzie, from the Committee on Fi nance, to whom had been referred an applica-tion of W. V. S. Wilcox for reimbursement for excessive tax-tion, reported that the committee did not recommend the refunding of any of the taxes paid up to 1872, but do recommend that the assessment upon the property be reduced to \$400 for the year 1873, and the report was adepted.

Mr. Kenzie introduced a resolution, which was amerded so as to read as follows and adopted: Whereas it is important that Henry st. should be put in condition for general travel, therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to have the iron rais lying in said street disposed of by public auction, and re-moved therefrom, and apply the money derived from such sale to the improvement of said street. Mr. McKenzie introduced a bill entitled an act to prevent the obstruction of the cars of the Alexandria Passenger Railway Co., which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A communication from Lewis McKenzie, President of the W. & O. R. R., proposing to rebuild the broken culvert between Oronoko and Pendleton streets, upon certain conditions, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A communication from the Board of Public Works respecting the condition of the City Surveyor's instruments, accompanied by a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen appropriating \$200 from the fund applicable to the street improvement fund for the purchase of surveyor's instruments, were received from that

Board and their action concurred in.

The resolution authorizing the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to erect sheds in the Market square was returned from the Board of Aldermen with the action of this Board non concurred in, and adoping in its stead a sub-titute requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to present plans and specifications for creeting a shed or sneds within the Market square, and the action of the Board of Aldermen was concur-

A bill of J. W. Nalls, Son & Co., amounting to \$53 15, for articles for the use of the Superintendent of Police, referred to the Committee on Claims by the Board of Aldermen, was received from that Board and their action concurred in.

A resolution requiring the A. & W. R. R. Co.
to place flagmen at the crossings of Queen and
Cameron streets, referred by this Board to the Committee on Streets, was returned from the Board of Aldermen, they having non concurred in the action of this Board, but amending the resolution by requiring the A. & F. R. R. to station flagmen at the intersection of Fayette with King and Duke streets, and their action was concurred in.

The Board then adjourned. HAROLD SNOWDEN, CI'k. EDUCATIONAL.

CENTRAL SCHOOL Daily lessons in FRENCH and GERMAN, with the usual ENGLISH BRANCHES, will be given to ten day scholars at Miss E. C. ADAM'S BOARDING SCHOOL, corner King and Columbus streets. sep 5-eotS22

MRS. M. M. SMITH, (a pupil of Mrs. Look-erman, of Richmond) will begin by the FIFTEENTH INSTANT to teach VOCAL MUSIC, and respectfully effers her services to Principals of Schools or pupils at private residences. Best references can be given. For terms apply to Prof ROBT. E. HEYMAN, sep 2—t01 No. 20 Royal street, south.

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ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Sept. 6.-Wheat is without material change; offerings of 1480 bushels white and red, with sales of the former at 168 for strictly prime, and of the latter at 140 for or-dinary, 162 good, and 172, 173 and 175—latter for strictly prime. Corn is quiet; offerings of 1112 the own residence. He will also give private instruc-tion at the pupil's residence. His classes will be so arranged that they will not interfere with the regular studies at school. Address P. O. bushels mixed, with sales at 66. Offerings of 462 bushels Oats, with sales at 45. bushels Oats, with sales at 45.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, SEPTEMBER 6. SUN ROSE...... 5.34 | MOON RISES...... 0 00 SUN SETS.. ..... 6.22 |

Steamer Lady of the Lake, No-folk, to F A Re d A mail bag she was landing at Marshell Hall early this morning fell overboard and sunk before it could be recovered. She reports passing three or four loaded vessels in the river, all

bound up. Steamer Georgeanna, Baltimore, to Hooe & Iohnston Schr Pilot's Bride, Portsmouth, to John P Schr Charles Maston, Boston, to J P Agnew.

SAILED. Steamer Express, Baltimore, by Jos Broders Shr T J Trafton, Baltimore, by William A

Smoot. MEMORANDA. Schr Breeze, hence, at New York 4th. Schr Sallie Carson, hence, at New York 4th. Schr Henry Adelbert, from Boston for this

port, arrived at Vineyard Haven 3d. Schrs H L Slaight, Mollie Ruton, Brandywine and J T Williams, hence, at Baltimore 5th Schr A E Smirk, hence, at Richmond 3d.

CANAL COMMERCE.

ARRIVALS.

Boat F Kitwell, to Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co; F R Shipley, to George's Creek Co; John Gorman, to New Central Coal Co. DEPARTURES.

Boats Jno P Agnew, J McGraw, J & T Coul-ehan, E J Hammond, L M Holland, L R Fetch-ing, M Fannon, Goldfinch, Wm M Price, Mag-pie, Scotia, Maryland, J B Deliplain, F R Ship-ley, Jno Gorman, F Kitwell, D A Carl, Julia Taylor, T E Sheridan and Grayson & Fannie,

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We have in store and for sale a few barrels of PURE RYE and WHEAT WHISKEY, of our own production, made at our Distillery in Also an assorted stock of MOORE'S PURE RYE and BOURBON WHISKIES always in

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consideration. E. E. DOWNHAM & CO., Alexandria, Va. sep 2-6m SCARFS I 10 dozen WINDSOR SCARFS, all new

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CHAS. C. BERRY. aug 26 TEWELRY JEWELRY! Great quantities just opened, of every conceivable style, bought at one third its value, and

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76 King street. SHADINES! SHADINES! SHADINES!

In store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES, 147 King street.

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We have just received Black Irish Poplins and Cadet Cloth and Cassimere. D. F. WITMER CO. aug 30 Gazette SARDINES, of best quality, for sale by sep 2 J. C. MILBU

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The Sixteenth Annual Session of this School will commence on MONDAY, September 8th, when all pupils who desire to attend during the session should be present for classification. Catalogues containing particulars may be obtained at the bookstores or by applying to aug 23-tf JOHN S. BEACH, Principal.

H. F. HENRY'S SCHOOL,
On Altred street, between King and
Prince streets, in the second story of the Friendship Engine Building.
This SCHOOL FOR BOYS which has been in operation, with the exception of the years of the war, since the year 1857, will commence its next annual session on the 15th of SEPTEMB'R.

The terms of tuition, depending on branches taught, range from \$6 to \$12 per quarter in advance, with an extra charge of \$3 per quarter for tuition in either of the Ancient or Modern Languages. The school room will be open after the 7th of September from 9 a.m. to 12 m. for the

examination and classification of pupils wishing to enter the School. MISS TEBBS, for eight years one of the Principals of Belie Haven Institute, will open SEPTEMBER 15th, 1873, a SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, at No. 123 Queen st. A limited aug 22-1m number received.

I NIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA MEDI-CAL SCHOOL.

The next session (forty-ninth) will commence October 1st, 1873, and continue for nine months, offering great advantages to the diligent student for thorough training in the principles of his profession. For Catalogues apply to WM. WERTENBAKER, Secretary of Faculty, P.O. University of Virginia, Va. aug 15-colm CLIFTON PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

The next session of this school will begin on the 1st DAY OF OCTOBER, 1873. For partic-

lars apply to
R. JAQUELIN AMBLER, Principal,
jy 12-eo2m Markham st'n., Fauq. co., Va. BELLE HAVEN INSTITUTE, Alexandria, Va.
Principal, Miss ANNA L. DERRICK, late of

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The Fifteenth Annual Session of this School, formerly under Miss Garber's charge, will commence on MONDAY, the 15th day of September, under the direction of Miss Derrick. Every effort will be made to sustain the high reputation of this widely known and popular School. Competent and experienced teachers will be employed in every department, and the Principal hopes to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor her with their patronage.

Terms per half session, payable in advance.

For board and tuition in the entire English course,
For day scholars, per quarter in advance. Preparatory Class, Junior Class, Intermediate Class,

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References: Rt. Rev. Bishop Lay, Easton,
Md.; Revs. Geo. H. Norton, D. F. Sprigg, R.
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ablished to require further notice or encomium. For Circulars, &c., apply to the Principal, aug 16-1m\* ELIZAB'H. P. RIVERS. DOTOMAC ACADEMY,

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Established by Benjamin Hallowell in 1824.
A complete English, Classical and Mathematcal course taught; also French, German and Spanish. Next session will commence SEP-TEMBER 17. Catalogues furnished at request. Terms: For board, tuntion, washing and lights, \$150 per half session in advance. For day scholars \$12 50 for tuition in English branches, \$2.50 in Greek and Latin (either or both) and \$2.50 in Modern Languages (each) per quarter in advance. Apply at 157 Prince st., or address CHARLES S. TAYLOR, | Associate JOHN S. BLACKBURN, | Principals,

jy 24-2awtf Alexandria, Virginia. TYNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

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Alexandria, Va.

MISS POWELL'S SELECT SCHOOL N. E. corner Washington and Duke sts., Alexandria, Va. The next session of this School will begin on MONDAY, September 22d. Terms: For tuition in English and French

\$32 per half session—payable in advance. Circulars can be obtained from French's bookstore or on application to Miss Powell. [a21-eolm THE SCHOOL OF MISS BELLE SMITH will be resumed, at 140 King st., on MON-DAY, September 22d. Applications, or admis-

sion of pupils will be received and information given at No. 241 King street. aug 11-ec4w BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR The Misses GREENE will resume the duties of their School on TUESDAY, September 16th,

at No. 16 south Fairfax street. Miss U. C. GREENE, Miss J. R. GREENE, MT. VERNON INSTITUTE. aug 12-t01

No. 12 S. Washington st.
Scholastic duties will be resumed MONDAY September 15th. Number of boarders limited. Address for particulars, Miss M. A. ROACH, Principal,

P. O. Box 379. aug 15-1m MISS V. L. JOHNSON AND SISTER will open a SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES, commencing WEDNESDAY, September 17th, 1873, at No. 210 Prince street, Alexanaug 12-1m

NORWOOD HIGH SCHOOL OPENS SEPTEMBER 15, 1873.

Address WM. D. JABELL, Principal, jy 10-tf Norwood P. O. Nelson co., Va.

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